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Turley et al.		)	Group Art Unit: 1653
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For:	Compositions and Methods for Treating Cellular Response to Injury and Other Proliferating Cell Disorders regulated by Hyaladherin and Hyaluronans	) ) ) )	RECEIVED SEP 0 9 2003
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## **AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment and Reply to Office Action is submitted in response to the Office Action requiring restriction of the claims mailed May 15, 2003 for the above-referenced application. It is being submitted on or before the current due date of September 15, 2003 and a petition for a three month extension of time accompanies this response.

In the event that a telephone call could expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at 650-622-2300 (extension 2330).

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